# INDIAN EDUCATION UPCOMING EVENTS CALENDAR AND OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION

## September 2012

DATE	EVENT/LOCATION	CONTACT

## Washington and the Northwest

9/15	New Suquamish Museum Opens to the Public www.suquamishmuseum.org	Stephanie Alexander 360/394-8499 salexander@suquamish.nsn.us
9/20–21	Salmon Homecoming Celebration School Days – Waterfront Park and Seattle Aquarium, Seattle	Carlton Stinson <u>carlton.stinson@seattle.gov</u> or Karen Matsumoto <u>K.matsumoto@seattleaquarium.org</u>
9/20–21	Recognition of American Indian Week at the Seattle Indian Health Board (SIHB) – Seattle	SIHB 206/324-9360 www.sihb.org/native_american_week.html
9/27	Western Washington Native American Education Consortium Meeting – Lake Washington School District Resource Center, 16250 NE 74th Street, Redmond, 98006	Sam Morseau 253/373-7141 sam.morseau@kent.k12.wa.us www.wwnaec.com
9/28	7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Indian Day Celebration "Dancing in the Square PowWow" – Pioneer Square, Downtown Portland, Oregon, sponsored by the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board (NPAIHB)	503/228-4185 www.npaihb.org
10/5–6	Northwest Native American Basketweavers Association (NNABA) Annual Gathering – hosted by Muckleshoot Tribe at Emerald Downs, Auburn	NNABA 206/962-7248 info.nnaba@yahoo.com
<b>⇔10/12</b>	"Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty in Washington State" Online Curriculum Inservice Training – Toppenish School District Board Conference Room, 306 Bolin Drive, Toppenish, 98948 (Please see attached "Save the Date")	Joan Banker 360/725-6160 joan.banker@k12.wa.us
10/11–13	2012 Washington Library Media Association Conference – Yakima Convention Center, Yakima	http://wlma2012.blogspot.com
<b>☆10/19</b>	"Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty in Washington State" Online Curriculum Inservice Training – Educational Service District 113, Chehalis A & B Rooms, 6005 Tyee Drive SW, Tumwater, 98512 (Please see attached "Save the Date")	Joan Banker 360/725-6160 joan.banker@k12.wa.us



10/20	5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Northwest Conference on Teaching for Social Justice – Madison High School, 2735 NE 82 <sup>nd</sup> , Portland, Oregon	http://nwtsj.org
<b>☆10/26</b>	"Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty in Washington State" Online Curriculum Inservice Training – Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe, House of Knowledge, 31912 Little Boston Road NE, Kingston, 98346 (Please see attached "Save the Date")	Joan Banker 360/725-6160 joan.banker@k12.wa.us
10/18–21	Alaska Federation of Natives (AFN) Annual Convention – Dena'ina Convention Center, Anchorage, Alaska	AFN 907/274-3611 www.nativefederation.org
10/19–20	Wisdom of the Elders Special Storytelling Event at Mazama Lodge: Native American Storytelling and Prophecy – Mazama Lodge, 30500 West Leg Road, Mt. Hood National Forest, Government Camp, Oregon	Wisdom of the Elders <a href="http://wisdomoftheelders.org">http://wisdomoftheelders.org</a>
10/26–28	7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Northwest Indian Storytelling Festival – Portland State University, Portland, Oregon	Wisdom of the Elders <a href="http://wisdomoftheeldes.org">http://wisdomoftheeldes.org</a>
10/27	18 <sup>th</sup> Annual Washington State Association for Multicultural Education (WSAME) – North Seattle Community College, Seattle	WSAME 206/522-5438 wsame@mindspring.com www.wsame.org
10/31	Halloween Health Fair sponsored by the Seattle Indian Health Board (SIHB) – SIHB, 611 12th Avenue South, Seattle	SIHB 206/324-9360 www.sihb.org
<b>☆11/2</b>	"Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty in Washington State" Online Curriculum Inservice Training – Lummi: site to be determined (Please see attached "Save the Date")	Joan Banker 360/725-6160 joan.banker@k12.wa.us
11/1–3	2012 American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES) National Conference – Anchorage, Alaska	AISES 505/765-1052 www.aises.org
11/8	5 <sup>th</sup> Annual Symposium on Contemporary Native American Issues In Higher Education – William W. Phillips Hall, University of Washington/Tacoma	Sharon Parker 253/692-4861 parker07@uw.edu
11/14-17	2012 Washington State School Directors Association (WSSDA) 2012 Conference – Spokane Convention Center, Spokane	WSSDA 360/493-9231 mail@wssda.org www.wssda.org
11/15	Western Washington Native American Education Consortium Meeting – Seattle	Sam Morseau 253/373-7141 sam.morseau@kent.k12.wa.us www.wwnaec.com
11/16–18	National Council for Social Studies Annual Conference – Washington State Convention Center, Seattle	www.socialstudies.org/conference
<u>2013</u>		
1/17	Western Washington Native American Education Consortium Meeting – Location TBD	Sam Morseau 253/373-7141 sam.morseau@kent.k12.wa.us www.wwnaec.com

February	Washington State Council for the Social Studies K-8 Conference – Location TBD	Oralee Kramer oraleekramer@earthlink.net http://wscss.org
March	Washington State Council for the Social Studies Leadership Retreat – Campbell's Resort and Conference Center, Lake Chelan	http://wscss.org
3/21	Western Washington Native American Education Consortium Meeting – Location TBD	Sam Morseau 253/373-7141 sam.morseau@kent.k12.wa.us www.wwnaec.com
5/16	Western Washington Native American Education Consortium Meeting – Location TBD	Sam Morseau 253/373-7141 sam.morseau@kent.k12.wa.us www.wwnaec.com

## **Outside the Northwest**

9/24–28	National Indian Health Board 29th Annual Consumer Conference – Sheraton Downtown, Denver, Colorado	Evangelyn Dotomain 202/507-4070 www.nihb.org
10/14–16	2012 National Johnson-O'Malley Association Conference – Albuquerque, New Mexico	Harold Dustybull, NJOMA President 406/338-7538 <a href="mailto:hdtmail.com">hdustybull@hotmail.com</a> or Lloyd Tortalita 505/552-5121 <a href="mailto:highered@puebloofacoma.org">highered@puebloofacoma.org</a>
10/17	Tribal Education Departments National Assembly's (TEDNA) Annual Meeting – Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (held in conjunction with the NIEA Annual Convention)	Joanne Soklin 303/447-8760 Native American Rights Fund soklin@narf.org www.tedna.org
10/18–21	2012 National Indian Education Association (NIEA) Annual Convention – Oklahoma City, OK	NIEA 202/544-7767 www.niea.org
10/18–20	National Indian Education Association (NIEA) Youth Conference in conjunction with their 2012 annual convention	NIEA 202/544-7767 www.niea.org
10/21	Tribal Education Departments National Assembly (TEDNA) Forum – Sacramento, California (held in conjunction with the NCAI Annual Convention	Joanne Soklin 303/447-8760 Native American Rights Fund soklin@narf.org www.tedna.org
10/21–26	National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) Annual Convention – Sacramento, California	NCAI 202/466-7767 ncai@ncai.org www.ncai.org

## Additional Information

#### Native Vision in Washington State presented by Living Voices

Living Voices, a nationally acclaimed educational theater company, is pleased to present "Native Vision in Washington State." Combining Live performance (presented by Lily Gladstone, Blackfeet/Nez Perce) and archival film, Native Vision brings to life the history of the boarding schools and the Code Talkers during the 1930s and 40s. A young Native woman struggles to keep her culture and become a modern healer as her community joins the U.S. in World War II. For a detailed description of this and other theatrical performances offered through Living Voices, please visit their website: <a href="https://www.livingvoices.org">www.livingvoices.org</a>.

#### **Access to Vi Hilbert Collection Recordings on Internet**

Northwest Heritage Resources and the University of Washington Ethnomusicology Archives announced that Voices of the First People, a website honoring the life and work of Upper Skagit elder Vi Hilbert, is now on-line at <a href="https://www.northwestheritageresources.org">www.northwestheritageresources.org</a> (from homepage, click on Voices of the First People link). The site provides online access to audio and video recordings from the Vi Hilbert Collection in the UW Ethnomusicology Archives and features Hilbert's work as a storyteller, teacher, and culture bearer. The direct link is: <a href="http://www.music.washington.edu/ethno/hilbert/collection.html">http://www.music.washington.edu/ethno/hilbert/collection.html</a>

Office of Native Education/OSPI's website: <a href="https://www.k12.wa.us/IndianEd/">www.k12.wa.us/IndianEd/</a>

"Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty in Washington State" online curriculum: <a href="https://www.indian-ed.org">www.indian-ed.org</a>

This events list is prepared by the OSPI Office of Native Education. If you have any questions or wish to list your event(s), please call Joan Banker at 360/725-6160 or TTY 360/664-3631 or e-mail her at: <a href="mailto:joan.banker@k12.wa.us">joan.banker@k12.wa.us</a>. Thank you for your continued support of the Indian Education effort.



## Salmon Homecoming Celebration School Days Thursday and Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>, 2012

#### 31 May 2012

We welcome students to attend the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Salmon Homecoming Celebration School Days, to be held at Waterfront Park and Seattle Aquarium on September 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>, 2012 in Seattle, Washington. This annual event provides an opportunity to enrich students' understanding of our environment and the links to Native American culture that are so integral to the Puget Sound region. Approximately 900 students and teachers from underserved communities in Seattle, as well as youth from local Native American tribes will be brought together to share this multicultural experience. The Salmon Homecoming event is sponsored by the Salmon Homecoming Alliance, a coalition including Northwest Washington tribes, the Seattle Aquarium, the Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission, Seattle Public Utilities, and other regional environmental education and conservation organizations and government agencies.

The School Days celebration will feature cultural programs including student dance/song performances from local Tribes, oral history and storytelling by Native speakers, as well as arts and crafts demonstrations. Salmonthemed dive shows will also be offered by the Aquarium, and over a dozen local environmental education organizations will help spread the word about salmon habitat protection and restoration thorough hands-on activities and information booths. The event is free, and the Salmon Homecoming Alliance will provide bus transportation for participating schools needing assistance with advance registration.

This year's theme is "Why Should I Care About Salmon?" The environmental education organizations at the event will focus their hands-on activities on salmon life cycle and ecology; habitat conservation and restoration, rainwater runoff & pollution; and culture & communities. Teachers will be provided pre-event activities to prepare their students for this event. The activities and learning content at the event will incorporate 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade Washington State science learning standards in systems, application, and inquiry learning, as well as content standards in life science.

Participation in this event will be limited to 900 student participants. The Salmon Homecoming event is targeting Indian Education programs in Washington school districts, as well as Tribal schools in the State. A limited number of schools from the Seattle School District, in conjunction with the Seattle Public Utilities "Restore Our Waters" program, "Salmon in Schools" will also participate in the program. The Salmon Homecoming Alliance encourages any interested Indian Educators to contact us as soon as possible if you are interested in participating in this exciting event!

For more information, contact Carlton Stinson at <a href="mailto:carlton.stinson@seattle.gov">carlton.stinson@seattle.gov</a> or Karen Matsumoto at <a href="mailto:k.matsumoto@seattleaquarium.org">k.matsumoto@seattleaquarium.org</a>

## Save the Date

## "Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty Curriculum Training Workshops



Teaching about Tribal sovereignty has been challenging until now.

OSPI's new web-based Tribal sovereignty curriculum is:

- Locally based so you can connect student learning to the Tribes in your area
- Accurate and reliable so you can feel confident about what you are teaching
- Endorsed by OSPI and Washington's federally recognized Tribes
- Easy to access so you don't have to wait for materials—they are just a click away
- Free (mostly)
- Easy to integrate within your existing units so you don't have to feel like you have to throw out your own lessons to "make room" for these materials
- Aligned to the state's Social Studies standards, the grade level expectations, and the common core standards in English and language arts.

When House Bill 1495 was passed by the Washington State Legislature in 2005 officially recommending the inclusion of Tribal history in all common schools, a powerful opportunity for educators and Tribes arose. "Since Time Immemorial (STI): Tribal Sovereignty in Washington State" is an on-line curriculum developed through the OSPI Office of Native Education. STI, pilot tested for the past several years in 14 schools throughout our state, has a menu of Tribal sovereignty information, short lessons, and even entire units for every U.S. History, Washington State History, and Contemporary World Problems unit that OSPI recommends. So YOU get to choose how much you wish to include in your units. The STI curriculum has recently moved off the old "moodle" site, been revamped/improved, and moved onto a new website for faster, easier access. The site address remains: <a href="https://www.indian-ed.org">www.indian-ed.org</a>.

## There is no fee to attend the training workshops and free clock hours and lunch will be provided.

Each training session can accommodate up to 40 participants and registration is required using the attached form. Each session will begin at 8:30 a.m. and go no later than 4 p.m. Wireless internet access will be available at each site and you are requested to bring (1) a laptop with wireless internet capability, (2) headphones which are helpful when viewing videos for lesson planning, and (3) your district's curriculum documents to align STI to your district's scope and sequence.





Randy I. Dorn Old Capitol Building · PO BOX 47200 · Olympia, WA 98504-7200 · http://www.k12.wa.us

## Fall 2012 STI Curriculum Inservice Training Workshop Sites

October 12: Hosted by Toppenish School District

Friday Board Conference Room

306 Bolin Drive

Toppenish WA 98948

509/865-4455

> Please register by Monday, October 8

October 19: Educational Service District 113

Friday Chehalis Rooms A & B

6005 Tyee Drive SW Tumwater WA 98512

360/464-6700

Driving directions: <a href="https://www.esd113.org/domain/190">www.esd113.org/domain/190</a>
<a href="https://www.esd113.org/domain/190">Please register by Monday, October 15</a>

October 26: Hosted by Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe

Friday House of Knowledge

31912 Little Boston Road NE

Kingston WA 98346

360/297-2646

Driving directions: www.pgst.nsn.us/contact-info-a-directions

> Please register by Monday, October 22

November 2: Lummi - Site to be determined Friday Registrants will be notified

> Please register by Monday, October 29

For more information contact: Joan Banker, OSPI Office of Native Education, 360/72506169 (office), 360/918-3941 (cellphone) or email joan.banker@k12.wa.us.

## Registration

## 2012 Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty Curriculum Trainings

Name (please print):	
Address (Street/PO Box):	
City School District/Tribe/Other:	Zip
Title:	
Telephone Number:	
Email:	
Have you attended previous STI curriculum trainings in Have you gone into the STI website and are somewhat Are you currently using any of the STI units in your cla	familiar with the curriculum? Yes N
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Email or fax back to Joan Banker, Office of Native Education/OSPI: 360/586-3305 Fax email: <a href="mailto:joan.banker@k12.wa.us">joan.banker@k12.wa.us</a>

Questions? Please call Joan at 360/725-6160 or email at above address. Mailing address: Indian Education Office, PO BOX 47200, Olympia WA 98504-7200



## Proposed Agenda

# Since Time Immemorial (STI): Tribal Sovereignty in Washington State Online Curriculum Training Fall, 2012

8:00 a.m. Coffee/Registration/Networking

8:30 a.m. Welcome and Introductions

8:45 a.m. Introduction to "Since Time Immemorial" Tribal Sovereignty Curriculum

9:00 a.m. Navigating STI

10:00 a.m. Sample Lesson

11:00 a.m. Exploring STI Units

Noon-12:30 pm Lunch Provided

View video: "Teachings of the Tree People"

12:30 p.m. Integrating STI into Your Instruction

3:15 p.m. Kingston Middle School's 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip DVD

3:30 p.m. Next steps/clock hours

4:00 p.m. Adjourn

